

**FCC QUARTERLY REPORT:  
ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT**

**For WTVS DETROIT PUBLIC TELEVISION**

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**Introduction**

In an effort to be responsive to the issues of current concern in the Detroit/Metro community, **WTVS** has chosen to broadcast programming reflective of these issues, with the intention of creating greater awareness of these concerns among our viewers.

**Community Issues Addressed This Quarter:**

Biography/History  
Culture/Arts  
Education  
Health/Health Care  
Science/Nature  
Leadership/Public Policy

\*\*\*\*\***BIOGRAPHY/HISTORY**\*\*\*\*\*

Issue: **BIOGRAPHY/HISTORY**  
Series Title: Royal House of Windsor  
Program Title: Episode 101 Adapt or Die  
Episode 102 Love and Duty  
Episode 103 Enter the Outsider  
Episode 104 Shadow of a King  
Episode 105 Fire, Feud and Fury  
Episode 106 The Top Job  
Produced by: Distributor: APT Syndication  
Type: Documentary  
Dates Aired: 07/12/2021 #101 10pm 56.1 60 minutes  
07/12/2021 #102 11pm 56.1 60 minutes  
07/19/2021 #103 10pm 56.1 60 minutes  
07/19/2021 #104 11pm 56.1 60 minutes  
07/26/2021 #105 10pm 56.1 60 minutes  
07/26/2021 #106 11pm 56.1 60 minutes

#101 Episode one of The Royal House of Windsor reveals fresh insights into how George V (1865-1936) rescued the monarchy by dumping his family's German roots, and explores the Edward VIII abdication crisis.

Episode #102 In 1947, as Britain suffers from crippling post-war austerity and the worst winter on record, a lovesick Princess Elizabeth and her ailing father, George VI, visit South Africa on a fraught royal tour.

Episode #103 This episode reveals how Prince Philip was the Windsors' most radical modernizer, and how in the 1960s he harnessed the medium of television to revamp the royals' public image.

Episode #104 Prince Charles tries to avoid replicating Edward VIII's romantic mistakes, while Lord Mountbatten acts as Charles' kingmaker and matchmaker.

Episode #105 This episode examines the huge challenge that Diana's popularity and tragic death posed to the royal family.

Episode #106 Prince Charles is the most outspoken heir to the throne in the Windsors' history and has promised a radically different vision for the monarchy. But will his reign make or break the Windsor dynasty?

Issue: **BIOGRAPHY/HISTORY**  
 Series Title: Classic Albums  
 Program Title: Fleetwood Mac - Rumours (Episode 103)  
 Queen – A Night at the Opera (Episode 104)  
 Pink Floyd – The Dark Side of the Moon (Episode 114)  
 Produced by: Eagle Rock Entertainment LTD.  
 Type: Interview / Discussion / Review  
 Dates Aired: 7/30/2021 (Episode 103) 11pm 56.1 60 minutes  
 7/23/2021 (Episode 104) 11pm 56.1 60 minutes  
 8/07/2021 (Episode 114) 12am 56.1 60 minutes

Description: Episode 103 - Learn the definitive story of the making of an album that truly earned its place in the pantheon of rock music history. Released in 1977, the album sold 15 million copies worldwide and was christened Album of the Year at the 1978 Grammy Awards.

Episode 104 - Explore the story behind the album that made the band a global rock phenomenon in 1975. One of the most expensive and creative LPs of the time, its mix of hard rock, pop, opera, music hall camp and more propelled Queen into rock and roll history.

Episode 114 – Listen as all four band members tell the story behind one of the greatest albums ever made. Pink Floyd’s masterpiece, 1973’s The Dark Side of the Moon, broke records when it sold more than 30 million copies and spent 740 weeks on the U.S. charts.

Issue: **BIOGRAPHY/HISTORY**  
 Series Title: Secrets of Royal Travel  
 Program Title: Episode 101 – Secrets of the Royal Train  
 Episode 102 – Secrets of the Royal Flight  
 Produced by: Lambent Productions Ltd  
 Type: Documentary  
 Dates Aired: 07/25/2021 - Episode 101 8pm 56.1 60 minutes  
 08/01/2021 - Episode 102 8pm 56.1 60 minutes

Description: Episode #101 "Climb aboard for an inside look at the history of the ""palace on wheels,"" from its lavish past as the royal ""express of excess"" to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth's mobile home away from home. "

Episode #102 Take to the skies for an insider's look at the regal luxury of royal air travel. From 1936 when Edward became Britain's first reigning monarch to fly as both passenger and pilot, to the present, discover how jet-setting has defined the modern royals.

Issue: **BIOGRAPHY/HISTORY**  
 Series Title: American Experience  
 Program Title: Jesse Owens  
 Produced by: Firelight Media  
 Type: Documentary  
 Dates Aired: 08/03/2021 9:00pm 56.1 60 minutes

Description: "On April 2, 1936, when the 22-year-old son of a sharecropper entered the Olympic Stadium in Berlin, he was, he later remembered, barely able to control his anger. "I was angry because of the insults that Hitler and the other German leaders had hurled at me and my Negro teammates on the Olympic squad." The young athlete would channel his raw emotions into some of the most remarkable achievements in the history of athletics, winning four gold medals. To tell the story of Owens' remarkable victories in the face of Nazi racism, this film begins in the poor Cleveland neighborhood where the young athlete grew up; details his early career; describes Adolf Hitler's outsized ambitions for the 1936 Olympics; explores the movement in Western democracies to boycott the event; and explains the pressures on Owens to attend. The film also reveals the unlikely relationship Owens struck up at the games with his German rival Carl "Luz" Long and shows that, in the end, despite his success in Germany, Owens struggled to find a place for himself in a United States that was still wrestling to overcome its own deeply entrenched racism. "

Issue: **BIOGRAPHY/HISTORY**  
 Series Title: Muhammad Ali  
 Program Title: Round One: The Greatest (1942-1964)  
 Round Two: What's My Name? (1964-1970)  
 Round Three: The Rivalry (1970-1974)  
 Round Four: The Spell Remains (1974-2016)  
 Produced by: American Documentaries, Inc.; Florentine Films; WETA  
 Type: Documentary  
 Dates Aired: 09/19/2021 Episode 101 8pm 56.1 2.5 hours  
 09/20/2021 Episode 102 8pm 56.1 2.0 hours  
 09/21/2021 Episode 103 8pm 56.1 2.0 hours  
 09/22/2021 Episode 104 8pm 56.1 2.0 hours

Description: Episode 101 - Boxer Cassius Clay rises up the amateur ranks to win gold at the 1960 Olympics. He turns professional, sharpening his boxing skills and honing his genius for self-promotion. In 1964, he upsets Sonny Liston to become heavy weight champion.

Episode 102 - Cassius Clay publicly joins the Nation of Islam and takes the name Muhammad Ali. When he refuses induction into the Army, he is stripped of his title and forced into exile. After three years, he returns to the ring, but he's lost a step.

Episode 103 - Muhammad Ali battles his fiercest rival, Joe Frazier, and the U.S. government, as he attempts to regain the heavyweight title. He first loses to and then defeats Frazier, but to become champion again, he will have to beat George Foreman.

Episode 104 - Muhammad Ali shocks the world by defeating George Foreman, winning back the heavyweight title and becoming the most famous man on earth. After retiring in 1981, he travels the world spreading his Islamic faith, and becomes a symbol of peace and hope.

Issue:	<b>BIOGRAPHY/HISTORY</b>				
Series Title:	An American Experience Special				
Program Title:	Citizen Hearst				
Produced by:	Insignia Films				
Type:	Documentary				
Dates Aired:	09/27/2021	Episode 101	9pm	56.1	120 minutes
	09/28/2021	Episode 102	9pm	56.1	120 minutes

Description: In the 1930s, William Randolph Hearst's media empire included twenty-eight newspapers, a feature film studio, a syndicated wire service, radio stations, and thirteen magazines. Nearly one in four American families read a Hearst publication. His daily newspapers exerted such a powerful influence on public opinion in the United States that Adolf Hitler, Benito Mussolini, and Winston Churchill all wrote for him. As the first practitioner of what is now known as synergy, Hearst used his media stronghold to achieve political power unprecedented in the industry, then ran for political office himself. After serving two terms in Congress, he came in second in the balloting for the democratic presidential nomination in 1904. Hearst died in 1951 at the age of 88, having forever transformed the role of media in American life and politics. Based on historian David Nasaw's critically acclaimed biography, *The Chief*.

**\*\*\*\*\*ARTS/CULTURE\*\*\*\*\***

Issue: **ARTS/CULTURE**  
Series Title: Variety Studio: Actors on Actors (Episode 1404)  
Produced By: Public Media Group of Southern California (PBS SoCal)  
Type: Interview  
Dates Aired: 7/25/2021 5:30pm 56.1 30 minutes

Description for Episode 1404 - Gillian Anderson (The Crown) with Elisabeth Moss (The Handmaid's Tale) Uzo Aduba (In Treatment) with Billy Porter (Pose)

Issue: **ARTS/CULTURE**  
Series Title: American Masters (Episode 3211)  
Program Title: Buddy Guy: The Blues Chase the Blues Away  
Produced by: WNET; RCA Records; Scheme Engine  
Type: Documentary  
Dates Aired: 07/27/2021 9:00pm 56.1 90 minutes

Description: Dive into the career of the legendary blues guitarist, a pioneer of Chicago's West Side sound and major influence on rock titans like Jimi Hendrix and Eric Clapton. Featuring new performances and interviews with John Mayer, Carlos Santana and more.

Issue: **ARTS/CULTURE**  
Series Title: Concert of Colors  
Program Title: Episode #201 Melvin Davis & United Sound  
Episode #202 Doctor Nativio  
Episode #203 DakaBrakka  
Episode #204 RAM  
Episode #205 Minyo Crusaders  
Episode #206 Jonas Byaruhang & Percussion Discussion  
Episode #207 Fabian Almazan + DSO String Quartet  
Episode #208 Don Was Detroit All Star Revue Tribute to George Clinton Part 1  
Episode #209 Don Was All Star Revue Tribute to George Clinton (Part 2).

Episode #210 The Organic Orchestra & Brooklyn Ragga  
Massive with special guest Hassan Hakmoun.

Episode #211 Souad Massi.

Episode #212 Roy Ayers

Produced by: WTVS | Detroit Public Television

Type: Performance

Dates Aired:	08/05/2021 Episode 201	9pm	56.1	60 minutes
	08/05/2021 Episode 202	10pm	56.1	60 minutes
	08/06/2021 Episode 203	8pm	56.1	60 minutes
	08/06/2021 Episode 204	9pm	56.1	60 minutes
	08/06/2021 Episode 205	10pm	56.1	60 minutes
	08/07/2021 Episode 206	4pm	56.1	60 minutes
	08/07/2021 Episode 207	5pm	56.1	60 minutes
	08/07/2021 Episode 208	9pm	56.1	60 minutes
	08/07/2021 Episode 209	10pm	56.1	60 minutes
	08/07/2021 Episode 210	5pm	56.1	60 minutes
	08/08/2021 Episode 211	6pm	56.1	60 minutes
	08/08/2021 Episode 212	7pm	56.1	60 minutes

Series Description: Recorded live onstage at the Detroit Institute of Arts, this program features performances from the annual festival, celebrating art, diversity and cultural expression through music.

Episode Descriptions: Episode #201 - This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from Melvin Davis & United Sound.

Episode #202 - This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from Doctor Nativo.

Episode #203 This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from DakaBrakka.

Episode #204 This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from RAM.

Episode #205 This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from Minyo Crusaders.

Episode #206 This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from Jonas Byaruhang & Percussion Discussion.

Episode #207 This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from Fabian Almazan + DSO String Quartet.

Episode #208 This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from Don Was Detroit All Star Revue Tribute to George Clinton (Part 1).

Episode #209 This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from Don Was All Star Revue Tribute to George Clinton (Part 2).

Colors features music and performances from Roy Ayers

Episode #210 This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from The Organic Orchestra & Brooklyn Ragga Massive with special guest Hassan Hakmoun.

Episode #211 This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from Souad Massi.

Episode #212 This episode of Detroit's Concert of Colors features music and performances from Roy Ayers

Issue:	<b>ARTS/CULTURE</b>
Series Title:	Great Performances at the Met (Episode 1507)
Program Title:	Diana Damrau & Joseph Calleja In Concert
Produced by:	Metropolitan Opera Association
Type:	Performance
Dates Aired:	08/08/2021    2pm    56.1    60 minutes

Description:        The soprano-tenor pair perform popular arias and duets from the Royal Palace of Caserta, Italy, including works by Verdi, Bizet, Rossini and others.



Issue: **ARTS/CULTURE**  
Episode Title: Verdi's Requiem: The Met Remembers 9/11  
Series Title: Great Performances (Episode 4610)  
Produced By: Metropolitan Opera Association & WNET  
Type: Live Performance  
Dates Aired: 09/11/2021 8pm 56.1 1 hour 40 mins

Description: Honor the 20th anniversary of the September 11 attacks with this special performance hosted by Misty Copeland and led by Met music director Yannick Nézet-Séguin featuring soloists Ailyn Pérez, Michelle DeYoung, Matthew Polenzani and Eric Owens.

Issue: **ARTS/CULTURE**  
Program Title: Pasquale Esposito: Il Tempo  
Produced By: Notable Music and Arts Org  
Type: Performance  
Dates Aired: 09/17/2021 8pm 56.1 90 minutes

Description: Join the internationally acclaimed Neapolitan-American tenor to celebrate the 10th anniversary of his Il Tempo album. Filmed in January 2020 at the historic Teatro Politeama in Naples, Italy, the concert takes viewers on a stunning musical journey.

\*\*\*\*\***EDUCATION**\*\*\*\*\*

Issue: **EDUCATION**  
Program Title: Anti-Bullying  
Series Title: Wider World (Episode 2142)  
Produced by: Jim Saliba, Burke Video Company  
Type: Magazine Style  
Dates Aired: 08/10/2021 2:30pm 56.1 30 minutes

Description: An anti-bullying campaign goes to school to teach children about people with disabilities.

Issue: **EDUCATION**  
Program Title: Connect4Care Kids  
Series: American Black Journal (Episode 4933)  
Produced by: WTVS | Detroit Public Television  
Type: Interview  
Dates Aired: 08/15/2021 9:30am 56.1 30 minutes

Description: CONNECT4CARE KIDS -Jeffrey Miles, Senior Director for Early Childhood Excellence, United Way for Southeastern Michigan. On the next American Black Journal, United Way for Southeastern Michigan expands its innovative online resource for childcare and early childhood education to reach more families. Stephen talks with UWSEM's Senior Director for Early Childhood Excellence, Jeffrey Miles, about "Connect4Care Kids" and how it can help families find quality, affordable childcare.

Issue: **EDUCATION**  
 Program Title: Dr. Nikolai Vittie, Superintendent, DPSCS  
 Series Title: American Black Journal (Episode 4934)  
 Producer: WTVS | Detroit Public Television  
 Type: Interview  
 Date Aired: 08/22/2021 9:30am 56.1 30 minutes

- 1.) DETROIT PUBLIC SCHOOLS COMMUNITY DISTRICT: BACK TO SCHOOL -Dr. Nikolai Vitti, Superintendent, DPSCD
- 2.) BLACK BOTTOM HISTORIC MARKER (VIDEO)

On the next American Black Journal, Stephen has an in-depth conversation with Detroit Public Schools Community District Superintendent Dr. Nikolai Vitti about the district's reopening plans this fall in the midst of the COVID-19 pandemic. They talk about COVID health protocols that will be in place for students, teachers and staff. And, Dr. Vitti outlines how \$1.2 billion in federal funding is being used to get students back in the classroom safely for the new school year. Plus, we'll take you to a special commemoration for the predominantly African American neighborhood in Detroit known as Black Bottom.

Issue: **EDUCATION**  
 Program Title: Search and Rescue / Secret Lives of Teachers  
 Series Title: Hero Elementary (Episode 126)  
 Producer: Twin Cities Public Television  
 Type: PBS Children's Programming  
 Date Aired: 07/26/2021 8am 56.1 30 minutes

Description: Sparks' Crew is on a training mission to find their schoolmates, Petie Heat and Freeze Louise, who are hiding somewhere in Citytown. The team follows hot and cold clues to lead them to find their friends.

Curriculum: Heating or cooling a substance may cause changes that can be observed. / The kids are shocked to see their teacher, Mr.Sparks, on the weekend, outside of school. But, when Mr. Sparks loses an important package, our heroes have to save the day without the use of the superhero technology they usually have with them on school days. Curriculum: When current technology is not available, there are other ways to solve problems.

Issue: **EDUCATION**  
Program Title: Long Term Impact of the Pandemic on School Children  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Weekend (Episode 1610)  
Producer: WNET PBS-NPS  
Type: Interview / Discussion / Review  
Date Aired: 08/01/2021 6pm Segment Length 8:33

Description: After more than a year of restrictions and online schooling, educators and counselors are focusing on ways to assess the long-term social, emotional and mental impact of the pandemic on school children when they return to the classroom. Christopher Booker reports from Fairfield County, Connecticut as part of our ongoing series, "Roads to Recovery."

Issue: **EDUCATION**  
Program Title: Dr. Pamela Pugh, Vice President, MI Board of Education  
Series Title: Off the Record (Episode 5109)  
Producer: WKAR  
Type: Roundtable Discussion  
Date Aired: 08/27/2021 7:30pm 56.1 30 minutes

Description: Our guest this week is the Democratic Vice President of the state board of education Dr. Pamela Pugh who has a problem with the governor on the mask issue. Our lead story the governor giving no ground on not issuing a mandatory mask mandate for schools.

**\*\*\*\*\*HEALTH/HEALTH CARE\*\*\*\*\***

Issue: **HEALTH/HEALTH CARE**  
Series Title: Primary Care with Dr. Lonnie Joe  
Program Title: Mental Health & COVID (Episode 601)  
Diabetes Management (Episode 602)  
Colorectal Cancer (Episode 603)  
Child Mental Health & COVID (Episode 604)  
Primary Care & COVID (Episode 605)  
Dying Before their Time (Episode 606)

Producer: OurHealth Media Network

Type: Interview

Dates Aired:	7/25/2021 Episode 601 1pm	56.1	30 minutes
	8/01/2021 Episode 602 1pm	56.1	30 minutes
	8/08/2021 Episode 603 1pm	56.1	30 minutes
	9/05/2021 Episode 604 1pm	56.1	30 minutes
	9/12/2021 Episode 605 1pm	56.1	30 minutes
	9/19/2021 Episode 606 1pm	56.1	30 minutes

Series Description: Primary Care with Dr. Lonnie Joe is a health program that features relevant, in-depth discussions about the health and care of African Americans. The goal of the program is to educate viewers about prevalent health conditions and health issues, empower viewers to be active participants in their own care and help providers better understand and care for African American patients. The program is designed to be culturally relevant and is beneficial to all audiences.

Episode 601 - Black and Latino Americans face greater mental health challenges from COVID-19 than White Americans.

Episode 602 - Knowing how to manage diabetes is vital to the health of the 4.9 million Black Americans who have it.

Episode 603 - African-Americans have the highest death rate and shortest survival for colorectal cancer.

Episode 604 – Child Mental Health & COVID

Episode 605 – Primary Care & COVID

Episode 606 – Dying Before Their time

Issue: **HEALTH/HEALTH CARE**  
Program Title: Dangers of the Delta Variant  
Series Title: Firing Line with Margaret Hoover (Episode 505)  
Producer: Creative News Group & FL2 LLC  
Type: Interview  
Dates Aired: 08/01/2021 12:30pm 56.1 30 minutes

Description: Guests: Dr. Celine Gounder and Dr. Ashish Jha. With a summer COVID surge, epidemiologist Dr. Celine Gounder and Brown University Dean of Public Health Dr. Ashish Jha discuss the dangers of the Delta variant, breakthrough cases, how to vaccinate more people and whether booster shots may be needed

Issue: **HEALTH/HEALTH CARE**  
Series Title: Stress Solution with Dr. Rangan Chatterjee  
Producer: Distributor: APTPS – APT Premium Service  
Type: Self-Help  
Dates Aired: 07/07/2021 1am 56.1 60 minutes

Description: Stress and anxiety can have devastating consequences for our work, our relationships, and our mental health. In The Stress Solution, Dr. Rangan Chatterjee provides a roadmap for relief, identifying the key daily stresses and offering a four-step plan to help you take back control and lead a more fulfilled, calmer life.

Issue: **HEALTH/HEALTH CARE**  
Program Title: Respite Services for Caregivers  
Series Title: American Black Journal (Episode 4933)  
Producer: WTVS | Detroit Public Television  
Type: Interview  
Dates Aired: 08/15/2021 9:30am 56.1 30 minutes

Description: On the next American Black Journal, we'll take a look at a program that provides much-needed respite services for stressed caregivers in a special report for the New York and Michigan Solutions Journalism Collaborative.

Issue: **HEALTH/HEALTH CARE**  
Series Title: Washington Week (Episode 6110)  
Program Title: Abortion Rights Threat  
Producer: WETA  
Type: Roundtable Discussion  
Dates Aired: 09/05/2021 11:30am 56.1 30 minutes

Description: The U.S. has fully completed its withdrawal of troops from Afghanistan, ending America's longest war. The panel discussed the criticism President Biden is facing from Republicans and Democrats as he continues to defend his decision, plus a look into the battle over abortion rights, and the deadly impacts of climate change in the U.S. Panel: Courtney Kube of NBC News, Anita Kumar of POLITICO, Susan Page of USA Today, Craig Whitlock of The Washington Post

Issue: **HEALTH/HEALTH CARE**  
Program Title: Bat Superpowers  
Series Title: Nova (Episode 4810)  
Producer: Les Films a Cinq/CAPA PRESSE; WGBH; ARTE France  
Type: Documentary  
Dates Aired: 09/15/2021 8pm 56.1 60 minutes

Description: Bats have been implicated in deadly epidemics such as COVID-19 and Ebola, yet scientists are discovering evidence that they may hold a key to a longer and healthier life. From caves in Thailand and Texas to labs around the globe, NOVA meets the scientists who are decoding the superpowers of the bat.

\*\*\*\*\***SCIENCE/NATURE**\*\*\*\*\*

Issue: **SCIENCE/NATURE**  
Series Title: Nature (Episode 3907)  
Program Title: The Bat Man of Mexico  
Producer: Windfall Films, BBC & Animal Planet, WNET  
Type: Documentary  
Date Aired: 7/1/2021 3pm 56.1 60 minutes

Description: An ecologist tracks the Lesser Long-nosed bat's epic migration across Mexico, braving hurricanes, snakes, Mayan tombs and seas of cockroaches, in order to save the species and the tequila plants they pollinate.

Issue: **SCIENCE/NATURE**

Series Title: Life from Above  
Program Title: Moving Planet (Episode 101)  
Colorful Planet (Episode 102)  
Patterned Planet (Episode 103)  
Changing Planet (Episode 104)  
Producer: BBC Studios & Open University  
Type: Documentary  
Date Aired: 07/22/2021 Episode 101 4pm 56.1 60 minutes  
07/22/2021 Episode 102 5pm 56.1 60 minutes  
07/29/2021 Episode 103 4pm 56.1 60 minutes  
07/29/2021 Episode 104 5pm 56.1 60 minutes

Description: Episode 101 – See new footage of the greatest, most beautiful and powerful movements on our planet. Cameras in space capture events like an elephant family's struggle through drought, and thousand of Shaolin Kung-Gu students performing in perfect synchronicity.

Episode 102 – View Earth's kaleidoscope of colors as seen from space. Swirls of turquoise phytoplankton trigger an oceanic feeding frenzy, China turns yellow as millions of flowers bloom, and at night the waters near Argentina are spotted with green lights.

Episode 103 – Discover the weird and wonderful shapes that cover Earth's surface as seen from space. The Australian outback is covered in pale spots thanks to digging wombats, and hundreds of elephants tear into the endless green of the Congo forest canopy.



Episode 104 – Cameras in space tell stories of life on our planet from a brand new perspective, revealing its incredible movements, colors, patterns and just how fast it is changing.

Issue: **SCIENCE/NATURE**  
 Program Title: Shakespeare's Tomb  
 Producer: Arrow Media  
 Type: Documentary  
 Dates Aired: 7/23/2021 5pm 56.1 60 minutes

Description: "Join the first-ever scientific investigation of Shakespeare's grave, which reveals fascinating new evidence about what lies beneath the infamous "curse stone" - a warning against any man who "moves [my] bones." "

Issue: **SCIENCE/NATURE**  
 Series Title: Great Lakes Now  
 Program Title: Episode 1027 Saving Shipwrecks and Sturgeon  
 Episode 1028 Birds, Blooms and Being Back  
 Episode 1029 Wooden Boats, Metal Trash, Stony Fossils  
 Producer: WTVS / Detroit Public Television  
 Type: Magazine Style  
 Dates Aired: 07/27/2021 Episode 1027 7:30pm 56.1 30 minutes  
 08/31/2021 Episode 1028 7:30pm 56.1 30 minutes  
 09/29/2021 Episode 1029 7:30pm 56.1 30 minutes

Episode #1027 Archeology students and Host Ward Detwiler study shipwrecks at Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary, NOAA designates a new sanctuary along Wisconsin's Lake Michigan shoreline, and volunteers guard lake sturgeon against poachers looking for valuable caviar

Episode #1028 "In ""Birds, Blooms and Being Back,"" the latest episode of Great Lakes Now: Chicago may be the most dangerous city in North America for birds, but a group of volunteers is trying to change that. Lake Superior was once thought to be too cold for algae blooms, but not anymore. Scientists are researching the causes and finding ways to stop the blooms. And, after months of lockdown, Great Lakes aquariums reopen to visitors. Find out if the fish have missed the people."

Episode #1029 A school preserves the craft of wooden boat building, regular folks take it upon themselves to get underwater garbage out of lakes and rivers, and fossils discovered by two amateur paleontologists opens a window onto the region's prehistoric past.

Issue: **SCIENCE/NATURE**  
Series Title: Nature (Episode 3602)  
Program Title: Super Cats: Cats in Every Corner  
Producer: BBC Studios  
Type: Documentary  
Dates Aired: 08/04/2021 8pm 56.1 60 minutes

Description: Discover how cats have conquered the world, thriving in almost every landscape on Earth, from fishing cats in the wetlands of Asia, to a pregnant jaguar in Costa Rica, to margays in Central American treetops, to a swamp tiger on the Indian shore.

Issue: **SCIENCE/NATURE**  
Series Title: Nova (Episode 4313)  
Program Title: Operation Lighthouse Rescue  
Producer: Windfall Films and WGBH  
Type: Documentary  
Dates Aired: 08/11/2021 9pm 56.1 60 minutes

Description: The Gay Head Lighthouse, a historic landmark perched high on the cliffs of Martha's Vineyard, is soon to become the next victim of the ocean's relentless erosion of the island's cliffs. Join engineers as they race to rescue this national treasure.

Issue: **SCIENCE/NATURE**  
 Series Title: Europe's New Wild  
 Program Title: Episode 101 The Missing Lynx  
 Episode 102 Return of the Titans  
 Episode 103 The Land of the Snow and Ice  
 Episode 104 Europe's Amazon  
 Producer: Bonne Pioche Television; Off the Fence; Rewilding Europe  
 Type: Documentary  
 Dates Aired: 08/05/2021 Episode 101 4pm 56.1 60 minutes  
 08/05/2021 Episode 102 5pm 56.1 60 minutes  
 08/12/2021 Episode 103 4pm 56.1 60 minutes  
 08/12/2021 Episode 104 5pm 56.1 60 minutes

Description: Episode 101 Across the Iberian Peninsula, rewilding efforts allow the Iberian lynx -- the rarest cat in the world -- to flourish once again. In Portugal's Coa Valley, the introduction of ancient species heralds the return of the region's top predators.

Episode 102 Travel to the Carpathian Mountains and beyond, where Europe's most iconic species are thriving. The reintroduction of European bison signals a wildlife comeback, while just beyond the mountains, gray wolves stage an astonishing return.

Episode 103 In Lapland, natives and conservation groups work to save an age-old reindeer migration and restore an entire ecosystem in the process. Now, Lapland is witnessing wildlife spectacles return to the land of ice and snow.

Episode 104 See how the precious habitats of the Danube Delta depend on a healthy river to continue growing. The Danube is Europe's largest preserved wetland, but many of the species that call it home are the last of their kind.

**\*\*\*\*\*LEADERSHIP/PUBLIC POLICY\*\*\*\*\***

Topic: **LEADERSHIP/PUBLIC POLICY**  
Series Title: One Detroit (Episode 506)  
Program Title: Detroit's Future Leadership / Fixing the Districts Under  
Deadline / Eviction Moratorium Expires Soon  
Producer: WTVS / Detroit Public Television  
Type: Interview / Discussion / Review  
Date Aired: 7/22/2021 7:30pm 56.1 30 minutes

Description: Detroit's Future Leadership  
Detroit's primary elections are coming up in just over a week. One Detroit contributors, Nolan Finley of The Detroit News and Stephen Henderson of American Black Journal, got together to talk about who's on the ballot, the contention over proposed charter revisions, and the future of the mayoral seat.

Fixing the Districts Under Deadline

The Michigan Independent Citizens Redistricting Commission (MICRC) just finished its first round of public meetings across the state as they gather input to redraw congressional and state legislative maps for the 2022 election. But they've faced obstacles along the way? including a 6 months-delayed delivery of the recent census numbers. The Michigan Supreme Court also recently denied the MICRC's request for a deadline extension to draw the maps. One Detroit's Bill Kubota has been following the process and gives a primer on how it works.

The Eviction Moratorium Expires Soon - How Renters Can Get Help The federal moratorium on evictions expires on July 31st. Housing experts say it's difficult to determine how many struggling tenants could be evicted after the moratorium lifts. One Detroit's Will Glover talks with Ashley Lowe and Kellie Foster from Lakeshore Legal Aid for more on the process of getting assistance.

Topic: **LEADERSHIP/PUBLIC POLICY**  
 Series Title: American Black Journal (Episode 4931)  
 Program Title: August 3<sup>rd</sup> Primaries in Michigan  
 Producer: WTVS Detroit Public Television  
 Type: Round Table Discussion  
 Date Aired: 08/01/2021 9:30am 56.1 30 mins

1.) DETROIT PRIMARY ELECTION -Mario Morrow, Political Analyst, Mario Morrow & Associates -Eli Newman, Political Reporter, WDET-FM

2.) JACKETS FOR JOBS -Alison Vaughn, CEO, Jackets for Jobs

On the next American Black Journal, Detroiters go to the polls on August 3<sup>rd</sup> for a primary election that will narrow the field of candidates in some important races, including Mayor, City Council and City Clerk. Stephen talks with political analyst Mario Morrow and WDET political reporter Eli Newman about what's at stake for Detroiters and the importance of getting out the vote. Plus, the nonprofit organization Jackets for Jobs is teaming up with a major clothing retailer to help jobseekers prepare for interviews and entering the workforce with confidence.

Topic: **LEADERSHIP/PUBLIC POLICY**  
 Program Title: Congresswoman Elissa Slotkin  
 Series Title: Firing Line with Margaret Hoover (Episode 506)  
 Producer: Creative News Group & FL2 LLC  
 Type: Interview / Discussion / Review  
 Date Aired: 8/8/2021 12:30pm 56.1 30 minutes

Description: Guest: Rep. Elissa Slotkin. Congresswoman Elissa Slotkin, D-MI, discusses representing a district that voted for Trump, the investigation into the attack on the Capitol, and voting rights. The former CIA analyst outlines her concerns about what's next for Afghanistan.

Topic: **LEADERSHIP/PUBLIC POLICY**

Series Title: One Detroit (Episode 512)

Program Title: Detroit Future City Report

Producer: WTVS | Detroit Public Television

Type: Interview

Date Aired: 08/12/2021 7:30pm 56.1 30 minutes

Description: Detroit Future City Report Shows Persistent Opportunity Gap  
Detroit Future City CEO, Anika Goss, talked with One Detroit contributor and American Black Journal host, Stephen Henderson, about the latest findings in the annual report about Detroit's economic equity. The bottom line isn't good, especially when it comes to education and employment equity. Goss talks with Henderson about the findings as well as recommendations moving forward.

Topic: **LEADERSHIP/PUBLIC POLICY**

Series Title: PBS Newshour (Episode 13341)

Episode Title: Mandating Vaccinations for Employees

Producer: PBS-NPS

Type: Live News

Date Aired: 08/26/2021 6pm 56.1 Segment Length 6:53

Description: Following the full FDA approval of Pfizer's COVID-19 vaccine, an increasing number of cities and states are now mandating vaccinations for their employees — or requiring them to get tested weekly. But there has been some intense pushback from law enforcement and first responders across the country. Art Acevedo, Miami's chief of police who supports a mandate, joins William Brangham to discuss.

Topic: **LEADERSHIP/PUBLIC POLICY**

Series Title: Off the Record (Episode 5110)

Program Title: Bob Allison, Deputy Director, League of Conservation Voters

Producer: WKAR

Type: Roundtable Discussion

Date Aired: 09/03/2021 7:30pm 56.1 30 minutes

Description: Our guest this week is Bob Allison from the Michigan League of Conservation Voters which is opposing a GOP petition drive to revamp voting laws in Michigan. That's our lead story along with a COVID update. On the Off the Record panel, Jordyn Hermani (Gongwer.com), Dave Boucher (Detroit Free Press) and Chad Livengood (Crain's Detroit Business).

Topic: **LEADERSHIP/PUBLIC POLICY**  
Series Title: Frontline (Episode 4008)  
Program Title: America after 9/11  
Producer: Kirk Documentary Group  
Type: In-Depth Reporting  
Date Aired: 09/07/2021 9pm 56.1 120 minutes

Description: How 9/11 ushered in an era of fear, mistrust, and division in America. The compromises and consequences for American democracy-from the terror attacks, through four presidencies, wars abroad, and ultimately insurrection at home.